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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION AND AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 23, 2005, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.